

News From Southern Shores Town Hall

Friday, November 4, 2005

Town Council Meeting

Click ["here"](#) to see highlights of the November 1, 2005 Town Council meeting.

SSCA Membership Meeting

The Southern Shores Civic Association will hold their membership meeting, November 14, 2005, 7 p.m. in the Pitts Center. The SSCA Board asks that all members attend this meeting as SSCA by-laws require a quorum (40) be present to approve the 2006 budget. You can vote by proxy should you not be able to attend this meeting. Please call Ginny at the SSCA office (252-261-0876), ["email"](#) , or stop at the office to obtain a proxy ballot.

Sprint to Bury NC12 Telephone Lines

In an agreement reached this week with the Town of Southern Shores, Sprint has agreed to bury all of their telephone lines and remove their telephone poles in Town. Poles will be removed along NC12 beginning at Southern Shores Realty and continuing on Ocean Boulevard past the split up to Dolphin Run. In consideration for this work, Sprint has been given an easement to place a structure with upgraded telephone switching equipment on the rear of unused Town property between 109 and 111 Ocean Blvd. This new structure will improve telephone and high speed data service to users in Southern Shores and Duck.

The electric (Dominion NC Power) poles and lines along Ocean Blvd. north of the split are not affected by the Southern Shores /Sprint agreement and they will remain in place. The Town continues working with Dominion Power to remove poles and place electric lines underground throughout Southern Shores.

Specifically, the Southern Shores/Sprint Agreement calls for placing phone wires underground within two years. If the work is not completed within two years, Sprint will lose the easement and must remove its facilities from the Town property. The site plan for the Sprint structure has received Planning Board approval and will be reviewed at the Council's November 15 meeting.

REMINDER: Election Day November 8th

The polls are open November 8th from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Pitts Center behind Town Hall. Southern Shores Voters will be electing a Mayor and a Council Member, have your voices heard **VOTE!!**

Canal Dredging Project

A public informational meeting will be held Thursday, November 10, 2005, 7 p.m. in the Pitts Center give a presentation on the project. The meeting is open to the public; however property owners in Phase I of the project are urged to attend. For more information on the project and the phases go to ["Dredging"](#).

Southern Shores Gifts for the Holidays!

Looking for an unusual gift or thinking of Christmas shopping? The Town has added high quality sweatshirts and golf wind shirts to the Community Pride items. Other items include T-shirts, polo shirts, license plates and frames, all with the town logo. For more information and to view items available go to ["Souvenirs"](#) . You can stop by Town Hall for your Community Pride items. If you live out of town, [email](#) or call (252-261-2394) and we'll make arrangements to ship the items to/for you.

Chipping:

The Chipper will be in Sector #2 the week of November 7, and your brush should be placed out by Monday morning. Sector #3 can start putting their brush out for chipping. **For more information and schedule on the program go to [Chips](#). To see a sector map go to [Map](#). Chips are available, please contact [Karen](#) with your address and place a sign off the right-of-way where to put the chips.**

Dates To Remember:

- Long Range Planning Committee, Thursday, November 10, 2005, 3:30 p.m., Pitts Center
- Canal Dredging Project Meeting, November 10, 2005, 7 p.m., Pitts Center
- Town Office Closed, Friday, November 11, 2005 for Veterans' Day
- SSCA Membership Meeting, Monday, November 14, 2005, 7 p.m., Pitts Center
- Town Council Meeting, Tuesday, November 15, 2005, 7 p.m., Pitts Center

If you need a police officer, anytime day or night, this weekend or any day of the year, please call Central Communications at 252-473-3444. Write that number down or pick up a free sticker at Town Hall. Keep this number by your phone and put it on your cell phone.

For more information, contact the Southern Shores Town Hall, 252-261-2394, 252-255-0876 (fax), info@southernshores-nc.gov , www.southernshores-nc.gov .

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